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Cracow, October 26. N. S.

Several Polish Ladies arrive here daily to wait upon the Princess Menzikoff, who is suddenly expected in this City. General Renne designs to return into Muscovy, as soon as he shall receive the Permission of his Czarish Majesty. Our last Advices from Marienwerder say, that when the Conferences should be ended at that Place, the Czar would immediately repair to his Army which was advancing towards Riga; and leaving the Direction of that Siege to General Czeremetoff, he would go to Petersburg, where his Majesty designed to stay till all things were ready for his Publick Entry into Moscow, where they were making Preparations for that Solemnity. The Advantage lately obtained by General Goltz over the Palatine of Chiovia at Puntz is confirmed; but we have received no Advice which favours a late Report of the Defeat of five hundred Swedish Horse and Dragoons, which were said to be routed by some Muscovite Detachments that possessed the Avenues of the Frontiers of Wallachia; but on the contrary, all Letters from those Parts agree, that there hath happened no Action between the Troops which escaped with his Swedish Majesty, and any Muscovite Parties, since the King left the Army.

Vienna, November 9. N. S. On Sunday last his Imperial Majesty went to Publick Worship with great Solemnity in the Cathedral Church of St. Stephen, where *Te Deum* was Sung for the Reduction of Mons. The Emperor hath lately taken into further Consideration the Affairs of Hungary, with relation to the Confiscated Estates of the Malecontents, and hath given farther Conditions, and a longer time to those who shall return to his Obedience, before the Laws are put in execution against them. The Conduct of this Affair is recommended to the Cardinal of Saxe-Weitz, Primate of Hungary; and that Prelate is lately set out for Presburgh, in order to Publish these his Majesty's Gracious Intentions, as the last Instances of his Favour, in case they shall reject his present Offers. We hear from Milan, that the necessary Orders for Quartering the

Imperial Forces in Italy are executed; and that Count Thaun is on his Journey towards this Place. It is said that as soon as Prince Eugene is arrived here, a great Council of War will be held to regulate the Dispositions of the next Campaign. Our Advices relating to the Affairs of his Swedish Majesty are inconsistent with each other. Monsieur Urbica, formerly his Czarish Majesty's Minister residing here, is lately gone from hence to meet his Master in Poland.

Hague, November 22. N. S. Our last Advices from Warsaw inform us, that there was a general Disposition in the People of Poland to return to their Allegiance to King Augustus, by whom all Persons of Quality and Distinction, however they had been Interested against his Majesty during the late Distractions of that Kingdom, were received upon their Submission in the most gracious manner. His Majesty's Resolution of calling a general Diet hath very much contributed to the Tranquility and Satisfaction of the People, which it is not doubted will be wholly composed by such Methods as shall be entered into at the Meeting of that Assembly. The States-General, upon the Representations of the Elector Palatine's Minister, that the French had demanded Contributions of the Dutchies of Berg and Juliers in Corn, have expressed their Resentment against this Practice, as a Violation of the Contract made with their Commissioners, that all Contributions should be paid in Money. Their High-Mightinesses have desired that Minister to signify to his Master, that they would take such effectual Measures to avenge the Injury his Subjects should receive, by opposing this Innovation, as would soon oblige the Enemy to forbear such Attempts for the future. We hear from Brussels, that it is resolved to raise seventy thousand Florins; and that a seventh part of that Sum will be presented to the Marquis Pascal, as an Acknowledgment of his Bravery and Conduct in their Defence.

Waterford, November 9. There are arrived at this Port the *Penzance*, Capt. Parr Commander, from Cork; and the *Providence* of London, carrying two hundred Tuns, Capt. Harrys Commander, from St. Christophers, laden with Sugar and Cotton; the *Providence*

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